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Minutes of Non-Inmate Full Hearing Winter Session March 18, 2015

The Non-Inmate Full Hearing Winter Session was held on March 18, 2015 at the 400 Grand Street (Court Room 3-B), Waterbury, Connecticut. The following board members and support staff were in attendance:

Carleton Giles, Chairperson
Attorney Russell Palmer, Board Member
Attorney Joseph Milardo, Board Member
Colleen Reichard, Staff
Rosa Lachance, Staff
Andrew Moseley, Manager
Dorigene LaRosa, Clerical Staff

The Chairperson called the meeting to order at 9:03 a.m. and declared the presence of a quorum. Dorigene LaRosa served as Secretary for the purpose of recording and transcribing minutes. The Chairperson recognized the attendance of the petitioners and other members of the public who were present. The agenda was a public hearing of all cases scheduled for pardon consideration on the March 18, 2015 Pardons Hearing docket.

All cases were called. Upon completion of all hearings, at 11:58 a.m. the Chairperson moved that the panel enter Executive Session, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes Section 1-231, for the purpose of deliberation on individual applications for pardon, including matters which are and will be exempt from public disclosure, because of the following reason:

1. Discussions of matters which may involve information, the disclosure of which, would constitute an invasion of personal privacy, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes Sec. 1-210 (b) (2).

Atty. Palmer seconded. Unanimous.

At 12:29 p.m. upon completion of consideration of the applications, Chairperson Giles moved to end the executive session. Atty. Palmer seconded. Unanimous.

The Board reconvened the public portion of the meeting, the following petitions were determined, by vote, as indicated:

	<u>CASE NUMBER</u>	<u>APPLICANTS FIRST NAME</u>	<u>APPLICANTS LAST NAME</u>	<u>FULL HEARING RESULTS 03/18/15</u>	<u>SECONDED BY</u>	<u>UNANIMOUS</u>
1	4932	Angel	Adorno	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Atty. Palmer	Yes
2	4834	Ivan	Amaro	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Atty. Palmer	Yes
3	3707	Arthur	Balfour	Continued-see notes below for reason	Atty. Palmer	Yes
4	4868	Howard	Brown	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Atty. Palmer	Yes
5	4825	Shannon	Carballo	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Atty. Palmer	Yes
6	5101	Vajay	Chirkout	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Atty. Palmer	No
7	4837	Dezi	Colson	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Atty. Palmer	Yes
8	5087	Roberto	Cortes	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Atty. Palmer	Yes
9	4856	Andre	Dash	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Atty. Palmer	Yes
10	4959	Leonard	Donofrio	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Atty. Palmer	Yes
11	4912	George	Garcia	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Atty. Palmer	Yes
12	4682	Maurice	Jenkins Jr	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Atty. Palmer	Yes
13	4865	Melissa	Kalinsky	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Atty. Palmer	Yes
14	4814	Bruce	Krause	Chairperson Giles moved to Conditional Pardon: No Pistol Permit	Atty. Palmer	Yes
15	2215	Wayne	Marsh	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Atty. Palmer	Yes
16	5068	Tatashima	McMillan	Continued-see notes below for reason	Atty. Palmer	Yes
17	712	James	Michaud	Chairperson Giles moved to Deny Pardon	Atty. Palmer	Yes
18	4486	Louis	Mineri Jr	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Atty. Palmer	Yes
19	4783	Leila	Moshiri	Chairperson Giles moved to Deny Pardon	Atty. Palmer	Yes
20	5006	Sabrina	Nichols	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Atty. Palmer	Yes
21	4732	James	Norwood	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Atty. Palmer	Yes
22	5092	Thomas	OConnor	Continued-see notes below for reason	Atty. Palmer	Yes
23	4842	Monica	Parker	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Atty. Palmer	Yes
24	4934	Marilee	Perzanowski	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Atty. Palmer	Yes
25	4943	Coty	Reeve	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Atty. Palmer	Yes
26	4983	Tamara	Rivera	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Atty. Palmer	No
27	4812	Michael	Sailor	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Atty. Palmer	Yes
28	4797	Richard	Samson	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Atty. Palmer	Yes
29	4670	Sebastiano	Scalora	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Atty. Palmer	Yes
30	5269	Derrick	Shirley	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Atty. Palmer	Yes
31	4757	Keisha	Taliaferro	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Atty. Palmer	Yes

32	4786	Marilyn	Tirado	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Atty. Palmer	Yes
33	4826	Diego	Torrens	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Atty. Palmer	Yes
34	4169	Walter	Visokay	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Atty. Palmer	Yes
35	4819	Pamela	Vitalis	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Atty. Palmer	Yes

Other Business and Updates:

- Where the voting was not unanimous the following votes were cast:
#5101 Vajay Chirkout – Atty. Palmer voted NO.
#4983 Tamara Rivera – Atty. Palmer voted NO.
- #3707 Arthur Balfour continued – Petitioner unable to attend scheduled Full Hearing.
- #5068 Tatashim McMillian continued - Petitioner unable to attend scheduled Full Hearing.
- #5092 Thomas OConner continued - Petitioner unable to attend scheduled Full Hearing.

Chairperson Giles requested that the minutes of the meeting be forwarded to the Connecticut State Library and each pardon applicant be notified of the Board's decision regarding their pardon petition.

The panel and staff conducted informal discussion regarding future hearings.

There being no further business, the session was adjourned at 12:33 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Andrew Moseley

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Parole and Community Services Manager

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